

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Inventor(s)

Ted JU

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For

ADAPTER-CONNECTOR AND CONDUCTOR SET

Examiner

Chau N. Nguyen

Group Art Unit

: 2381

PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

The Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 19, 2004

Dear Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136, applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time for filing a response to the Official action mailed May 17, 2004. The Official action mailed May 17, 2004, set forth a one-month period for response. Accordingly, this petition for a one-month extension of time extends the due date for filing a response to July 17, 2004. Since July 17, 2004, was a Saturday, a response to the Official action mailed May 17, 2004, can be timely filed on following business day, namely, Monday, July 19, 2004

Applicant maintains his small entity status. Accordingly, a check in the amount of FIFTY-FIVE DOLLARS (\$55.00) for the one-month extension of time fee is attached hereto.

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In the event this paper is not timely filed, applicant hereby petitions for an appropriate extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee therefor, as well as any deficiency in the payment of the required fee(s) or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 22-0256.

Respectfully submitted, VARNDELL & VARNDELL, PLLC

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